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25X1 9. [REDACTED] Bob Clark, Minority Staff, Senate Appropriations Committee, called noting that the Senate had rejected Senator William Proxmire's (D., Wis.) amendment prohibiting the use of any funds for CIA in the HUD/NASA appropriation bill (H.R. 15572). He stated that Proxmire is very strong in his position and that he will bring his amendment up again when the bill is reconsidered by the Senate Appropriations Subcommittee. He offered to be of assistance to the Agency and requested that we provide him a copy of any paper prepared which sets forth the problems the Agency would face if this type of amendment would become law. He also offered to submit to the Subcommittee any modifying language to the amendment that we could live with. After a brief discussion, however, he recognized that if the language of the amendment is modified to limit the prohibition on the use of funds to CIA programs this might not be the best solution, since Proxmire would then include his amendment in the appropriation bills of all other Government agencies. He agreed that the best tactic would be to oppose the amendment. He again offered to be of assistance and asked to be kept advised.

25X1 10. [REDACTED] Subsequent to George Cary's discussion with the Director (see Item #5 above), called Al Tarabochia, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee staff, and confirmed with him that final arrangements had been made for [REDACTED]

25X1 11. [REDACTED] Called the following at AEC: Col. Benson, Ben George, Oscar Strättinger and John Hoyle, in an attempt to find out whether there had ever been an award made under the Atomic Weapons Rewards Act of 1955. Under that Act the Director is to effect payment of such awards out of funds appropriated for administration of the National Security Act of 1947. Hoyle indicated that no award has yet been made under the Act.

25X1 12. [REDACTED] Called Jan Fox, OMB, to inform her that we would be sending the Director's response to OMB's request for comments on S. 3669 which amends the Atomic Energy Act of 1954 and the Atomic Weapons Rewards Act of 1955, by special courier tomorrow. I also briefly outlined the gist of our letter.

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